

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of: Brines *et al.*

Confirmation No.: 7619

Serial No.: 10/520,140

Art Unit: 1647

Filed: January 3, 2005

Examiner: Woodward, Cherie Michelle

For: TISSUE-PROTECTIVE CYTOKINES FOR
THE PROTECTION, RESTORATION AND
ENHANCEMENT OF RESPONSIVE
CELLS, TISSUES AND ORGANS

Attorney Docket No: 10165-037-999
(formerly KW00-2B02-US)

TRANSMITTAL OF REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION

Mail Stop RCE

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed December 27, 2007, Applicants submit herewith a Request for Continued Examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114. An Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 ("Amendment") is submitted on even date herewith under Express Mail No. EV 654 845 815 US. The Amendment is accompanied by (a) an Amendment Fee Transmittal (in duplicate); (b) a Petition for Extension of Time (in duplicate) for three (3) months from March 27, 2008 up to and including June 27, 2008; (c) a Request for Continued Examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114; (d) Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement with List of References Cited by Applicant and copies of references C109 to C117; (e) Declaration of Michael L. Brines, M.D., Ph.D.; (f) Second Declaration of Michael L. Brines, M.D., Ph.D.; and (g) Exhibit A: List of citations in Declaration of Michael L. Brines, M.D., Ph.D. These documents (a) through (g) were also submitted under Express Mail No. EV 654 845 815 US.

CONCLUSIONS:

Applicants respectfully request that this submission be made of record in the file history of the instant application. Any fee associated with Applicants response should be charged to Jones Day Deposit Account No. 50-3013.

Reg. No. 49,020
Bj. Lawrence S. Coruzzi
Respectfully submitted,

Date: June 27, 2008

Laura A. Coruzzi 30,742
Laura A. Coruzzi (Reg. No.)

JONES DAY
222 East 41st Street
New York, New York 10017
(212) 326-3939